

The Elba Clipper

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JAYCEES MAKE DONATION. Terry Spicer (right) presents a check in the amount of \$100 to Elba Rescue Squad captain Preston Kelley Jr. The check was presented in memory of Keith Baker, who died recently after a brief illness.

City Council asked to lower license rate

The Elba City Council met Monday at 5 p.m. with all present except Mrs. Gladys Yelverton. Business considered included a request for lowering a license, handling a complaint about livestock, paying the monthly bills and giving out "one time" pay raises to employees.

The meeting began with a report from Police Chief John White who reported to the council that there had been a rape Thanksgiving and "It is sad there is a person in this community who would commit such a crime." White said that other than this crime, there had been several DUI arrests and minor traffic violations.

Tim Averett of Monroeville was present and requested the council reconsider the license charge for his mini-warehouse being constructed on West Simmons (next to old Gunter-Dunn building). Presently the fee is \$15 per door and Averett is planning 26 units in the first phase. This \$390 annual license is out of line according to Averett, who said his monthly income would be \$900 tops if every unit was rented year-round.

Figures presented by Averett indicated other towns charged from \$2 per unit to a flat \$50 fee, or something similar. The council tabled any action and will consider the matter at the next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Marler were present in response to a letter they had received from the city telling them it was a violation of the city code to keep a bull and a stallion in the city limits. The city had responded after getting a petition with the names of several city residents requesting something be done about the animals.

The Marlers said several people whose names appeared on the list had told them they hadn't signed anything. However, they were told by Mayor Bob English that the law

was on the books and it was the council's responsibility to enforce the city code.

An agreement was suggested and agreed upon by the council and by Mr. and Mrs. Marler in which the bull would be moved or butchered before Feb. 1. English said he would talk with the neighbors and notify the Marlers by Wednesday if that was acceptable.

No mention was made of disposing of the stallion after Mrs. Marler explained it was a 17-year-old Shetland pony which was ailing and near death himself.

The council approved a one-time \$50 pay raise for all full-time employees (20 or more hours a week). This will be paid as a Christmas bonus but isn't called a bonus because state law doesn't allow bonus payments, explained English.

Monthly bills of \$14,191.16 were approved for payment by the city council members.

Councilman Jack Prescott requested that street-patching crews be given some professional instructions in patching streets to eliminate the many bumps and dips now being left in the streets following patching work.

Inmates at Elba Work Release Center donate \$100

Inmates at the Elba Work Release Center voted this week to donate \$100 from the Inmate Welfare Fund to the Coffee County Dept. of Human Resources "Operation Santa Claus."

The funds will be used to buy fruit for underprivileged children in the Elba area.



ROTARY CLUB SPEAKER. Ron Sutton, an officer in the Alabama Dept. of Corrections, was guest speaker at Monday's meeting of the Elba Rotary Club. A large crowd was in attendance to hear Sutton's remarks about the future plans in the Corrections Department.

NSIC reports nine-month earnings

National Security Insurance Company has reported net operating earnings for the nine months ended Sept. 30, 1987, of \$2,441,912 or \$2.40 per share.

These results compare with a net operating income of \$1,668,203 or \$1.64 per share for the nine months of 1986.

In addition, the company had realized capital gains of \$1,046,514 or \$1.03 per share and an extraordinary item consisting of a tax loss carry-forward of \$625,000 or 61 cents per share for a total earnings of \$4,113,426 or \$4.04 per share versus total earnings of \$3,938,274 or \$3.87 per share in the nine months of 1986.

Premium income for the first nine months of 1987 was \$21,114,014 versus \$19,919,450 for the nine months of 1986, an increase of 10.6 percent. Investment income was up 9.6 percent (\$2,701,963 compared to \$2,464,326).

Mr. J.R. Brunson, president, said, "Earnings from operations are strong and were \$2,441,912 through nine months, exceeding the previous nine months of \$1,668,203 by 46 percent. However, the extraordinary item of a tax loss carry-forward has been completely utilized so that total earnings are only 4.4

percent above last year's nine months' results."

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Alabama Farmers Federation is new

After being known 66 years as Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, Alabama's largest farm organization changed its name to Alabama Farmers Federation in a meeting of voting delegates at their annual convention in Mobile.

The Alabama Farm Bureau Federation was organized in 1921 to foster the economic, educational and social well-being of the Alabama farmer. It continues to do so today through legislative and public relations activities as well as education and promotion efforts through various commodity groups within the organization.

Mr. Weyman Snipes, an inmate and a committee member that decided to make the donation, also donated several bags of candy to local children through the county department.

Commission ponders purchase of computer

The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, Dec. 14, at the courthouse in Enterprise and agreed to open bids at its next meeting on a computer to be used by the county's Board of Registrars.

Registrar chairman Chuck Lewis had attended the previous meeting of the commission and told the group that his office needed additional filing equipment to add names of newly qualified voters and at the meeting stated that a computer might be a better method of keeping the names and in the long run save the county money.

At Monday's meeting Lewis introduced two computer salesmen who made a presentation concerning their products and gave the commission an unofficial bid on the

cost of the computer needed for the registrar's office.

The commission agreed that it was time to enter the computer age and instructed commission chairman Marion Brunson to work with officials at Enterprise State Junior College to draw up specifications on the computer to be purchased at the next meeting.

The bi-monthly meeting began at 9 a.m. and the first order of business after the approval of the minutes was the opening of bids on two items for the highway department.

Southern Fence was the apparent low bidder on fencing material for the county shop with a bid of \$4,150; however, the engineer postponed making a recommendation on the bid until he could study the bids, and the commission tabled the bids until the

next meeting.

The other item up for bids was gasoline and diesel fuel for the department and the only bidder was Heath Oil Company, who was awarded the contract with a total bid of \$10,064.11.

Julian Boyd addressed the commission and complained that when the Friendship-to-Fairview Road was worked on recently the commission had agreed to do work on his property that was damaged by the roadwork. The commission stated that since it did promise to do the work it would meet its obligation and instructed the engineer to complete the repairs as soon as possible.

In other action at the meeting, the commission:

***heard a local car dealer complain

that recent specifications on a truck to be purchased by the county engineer made it impossible for many dealers to enter a bid and asked the commission in the future to check to see that dealers weren't "spiced out."

***heard county engineer Mark Pool state that it was important to get the best equipment available due to the extended amount of time the equipment would be in use and that at times, to get a superior piece of machinery or equipment, it was unavoidable to not "spice out" a particular brand.

***was told that private drive signs are still erected on a county road in the northern part of the county and heard Commissioner Billy Eagerston state he would attempt to have the signs removed before any legal action was taken.

***stated it would give Wiregrass Construction a short period of time to repair damage done by the company while doing roadwork in the county and at the end of the deadline the county would do the repairs and bill the company for the work done;

***approved a request from the county engineer to attend a seminar on road maintenance at Auburn University on Dec. 17, and also attend the National Association of County Engineers Convention in Mobile Feb. 4-5.

***authorized any county employees not having a week's paid vacation during the holidays to work, if chosen.

***agreed to make changes in the county employee handbook prior to its next printing.

***stated it would revise the budget at the next meeting on Dec. 28.

***approved Dec. 24 and 25 and Jan. 1 as official county holidays, and

***heard Commissioner Robert Stephens report that the Nativity scene on the courthouse lawn in Elba was erected at no expense to the county as all items used were borrowed.

Unemployment rate inches upward

The Alabama Dept. of Industrial Relations has released its monthly unemployment report for the month of October. The report shows that the unemployment rate in Coffee County inched upward during the month and now stands at 6.2 percent, which is above the national average but still below the state average.

According to the report, during the month of October, Coffee County had a civilian work force of 18,260, and from that number 1,130 were without a job, or 6.2 percent. The figure is higher than the 5.8 percent of September, but far below the rate of October, 1986, when the unemployment rate in the county was 10.2 percent.

The accompanying chart shows the unemployment figures for the state, nation and surrounding counties:

Area Unemployment Data

	Oct. 1987	Sep. 1987	Oct. 1986
Alabama	6.9	7.0	9.4
Bullock	12.7	12.9	15.5
Butler	9.2	10.6	11.3
Coffee	6.2	5.8	10.2
Conecuh	12.0	12.4	17.3
Covington	6.4	7.2	10.0
Crenshaw	8.2	7.2	7.7
Dale	7.8	7.5	9.5
Geneva	5.6	5.1	8.5
Houston	4.7	5.2	7.4
Montgomery	6.3	6.2	7.8
Pike	6.2	6.5	8.4
U.S.	5.7	5.7	6.6

Eight people expected to die on highways during holiday

The Alabama Dept. of Public Safety estimates that eight people will be killed in traffic accidents during the Christmas holidays, according to Thomas H. Wells, Public Safety Director.

The 78-hour holiday begins at 6 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 24, and ends at midnight Sunday, Dec. 27.

Also the department predicts that 12 people will die as a result of traffic accidents during the New Year's holiday. The period begins at 6 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 31, and extends through midnight Sunday, Jan. 3, for a total of 78 hours.

Wells stressed the importance of driving carefully and defensively during the holidays.

"It is our hope that no family will suffer the loss of a loved one due to a traffic accident during the Christmas season. State troopers will be patrolling to remove dangerous drivers from the roadways and help ensure a safe holiday for all," he said.

Federal overtime grants aimed at speed limit and DUI enforcement will allow additional troopers to

patrol during the holiday period.

Wells encouraged drivers to always use seat belts and child restraints and obey all traffic laws.

"Drivers should pay close attention to posted speed limits, remembering that 65 mph applies only to certain sections of rural

interstates," he said.

Wells also warned Alabamians of the dangers of drinking and driving, and reminded them that Alabama's DUI law provides the means to deal firmly with those who commit the crime of driving under the influence.

It mandates loss of the driving privilege for 90 days and attendance of DUI school, and also allows a \$250 to \$1,000 fine and possible imprisonment upon first conviction. Second and subsequent convictions carry increasingly severe penalties.

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Bolt to seek seat on Alabama Supreme Court

In separate news conferences held Monday in Anniston, Huntsville, Birmingham, Montgomery and Mobile, Anniston attorney A.W. Bolt announced his candidacy for election to the Supreme Court of Alabama.

The 44-year-old Bolt, a native of Rome, seeks election to the seat currently occupied by Justice Sam A. Beaty of Tuscaloosa, who has announced that he will retire at the end of the current term.

The primary election for this position will be on June 7, 1988, with the general election to be held Nov. 8, 1988.

Bolt is a past president of the

Calhoun County Chamber of Commerce, and created and founded its highly successful "Forward Calhoun County" Economic Development program.

Bolt attended Vanderbilt University Law School on a scholarship. After four years of service as a legal officer in the Army during the Vietnam era, Bolt has been in private practice.

Speaker at the program will be Attorney General Don Siegelman, or a representative of his office.

All interested persons are welcome to attend.

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By Ferrin Cox

The home of the late Gov. James E. (Big Jim) Folsom ain't gonna be moved to Enterprise has been reported in other newspapers. The report prompted a letter to the editor in this newspaper and a lot of telephone calls. Probate Judge Marion Brunson noted nothing was underway to do that and he doesn't know where the story started. Owners of the landmark home have been a little more straightforward with their reply. We don't expect the house to be moved anywhere in the near future. . . it makes a real good hunting lodge right now. Also several years ago when there was talk of moving the house, Gov. Folsom expressed a desire for it to stay right there. . . we sat on the front porch and heard him say it!

We had a local lady call our hand on an error last week. We were planning to correct that first-in-a-lifetime mistake this week but our sharpshooter promised to hate us forever if we even mentioned it. Therefore, Ms. X, we have only told a few people about this, including your boss. . . but we didn't write about it!

We agree with City Councilman Jack Prescott that repairs in city streets leave something to be desired. Now we ain't experts in that department either, but we do know a bump when we drive over one. Dodging the bumps on some of our streets is like running through a boot camp obstacle course. Prescott explained that there was a repairing holes that is permanent and smooth. We hope those who know how this is done can be urged to convey this information to those who work for the City of Elba.

Lawyer Bob Cannon was honored by his partners in the Elba Rotary Club recently. He was named a Paul Harris Fellow by the local club. What they did was donate \$1,000 to the Rotary International scholarship fund in his name. This is an honor that is instantly recognized and respected by Rotary members worldwide when they meet one of their group who is wearing that coveted blue pin. Now we don't want to see friend Bob get the big head over this thing, and had better stop right here. In fact if we hear he is wearing the pin on his golf shirt, we might just take back the nice things we are thinking right now.

The new Christmas lights around town are getting some very favorable comments. We don't know just who is paying the bill for these, but we still like them. We do know that the decorations on the tree on the square were purchased by the two local banks. Kenneth Grantham of The Peoples Bank explained that their bank and South Trust Bank had agreed to split the cost of these decorations. We congratulate them.

We salute the Troy State football team. They didn't leave any doubts last Saturday that they were Number One. Winning that game against those fellows from out West just made official what Troy State fans already know. . . Troy is good! We salute the players, the coaching staff headed by Rick Rhoades and all others connected with the team. We watched that last game on the tube and had some loyal fans who attended the game explain that the Troy supporters were never failing in their backing of the team Saturday.

Last month the newspaper USA TODAY reported on the largest car dealers in the nation. There are some biggies out there: one in California sells over 14,000 cars a year, and their annual sales are over \$224 million! Now that is just one brand of car — they didn't count dealerships that sold several different makes. We mentioned this to one of our car dealer friends and he noted his dealership wouldn't sell that much in his lifetime, if he stayed there forever. That is a lot of volume, but we can't help but wonder just how much was profit. It doesn't do any good to have a big volume if it ain't profit.

Some folks are bashful or just don't like having their picture taken. A lady recently put us in our place when she was forced by circumstances to be in one of our pictures. She stood there and after the picture was taken told a staff member to suggest to me that her picture be placed right under **Brainstorms** — that way very few folks would see it! Well, there is one lady that we are taking out of our will as of today! We are replacing her with the woman who asked the paper to be sent to her and her military husband so that she could read **Brainstorms**! Ha Ha!

Christmas is almost here and we aren't ready around the Cox house. But then that isn't unusual. We work, work and work some more, which gives little time to get ready for anything, and Christmas is a lot of anticipation to all us children. When we don't have time for anticipation then we are in a world of hurt. Then some of realize that another Christmas is like another birthday — it reminds us another year has passed.

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OUTSTANDING YOUTHS HONORED . . . The Enterprise Optimist Club recognized six young people as "outstanding youths" recently. They are (from left, back row): Mark Hersant, Matt Brunson and Richard Arnold. (From left, front row): Ginny Walters, Susan Martin and Julie Montgomery.

Elba Youth Honored Recently

The Enterprise Optimist Club observed its annual "Optimist Youth Appreciation Week" recently and honored six county youths nominated for the Outstanding Youth awards by various civic organizations across Coffee County, including Matt Brunson of Elba, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brunson. The selection of the six award winners was based on academic achievement, extracurricular activities, religious activities and service to the community or their fellowman.

Brunson, a graduate of Elba High School, was nominated by the Daughters of the American Revolution, while other award winners included Susan Martin, Ginny Walters, Julie Montgomery, Mark Hersant and Richard Arnold. Dr. Jack Oden presented each honoree with a plaque designating him or her as an "outstanding youth" and stated the judges making the selections were especially looking for young people who had made an outstanding contribution to the community.

Radio Day Set For Dec. 19 In Elba

Everyone be sure and tune in to WELB December 19th from 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. for Elba Jaycees annual Radio Day. This project is to raise money to help the elderly and underprivileged of the area have a more joyous Christmas.



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Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Dept. reported an active week with a total of 10 arrests (harassment - 2, menacing, public intoxication, resisting arrest, violation of the Alabama controlled substance act, violation of the prohibition law, disorderly conduct - 2, and possession of a forged instrument) and 3 traffic citations (speeding and driving under the influence).

Following are daily activity reports:

TUESDAY, DEC. 8
Activity included a wreck at Newton and Claxton (1:36 p.m.) and a wreck on 87 North (5:58 p.m.).

OBITUARY

LUCILLE AMMONS
Mrs. Lucille Ammons, age 80, of Elba, died Dec. 10, 1987, in the Elba Nursing Home. Graveside services were held Dec. 11 at 11 a.m. from the family plot at the Zion Chapel Church Cemetery, with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

In honor of Mrs. Ammons, donations may be made to a favorite charity.

Reward Offered

In Dec. 1 Theft

Of Tools

A reward of up to \$1,000 is being offered for information leading to the return of Craftsman mechanic tools stolen on Dec. 1 from a shop behind the Mc Don Bowers home, located on County Road 13.

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AREA 4-H REPORTS

Zion Chapel Girls 4-H Club Meets

Seventeen members of the fourth grade girls 4-H Club learned how to make some cute Christmas stockings at the November meeting on Monday, November 16, 1987.

Mrs. Hughes, who is our 4-H leader, said that the stockings could be made from many different kinds of cloth. We can use different materials for decorating them like rhinestones, buttons, sequins, lace and other kinds of trim.

Mrs. Hughes took up our posters and our pictures for the photography contest. She told us about a cookie contest and a Christmas stocking contest for December.

AMANDA CARNLEY
Zion Chapel School
4th Grade 4-H

5th Grade Zion Chapel Girls 4-H Meet

Twenty members of the Zion Chapel elementary school 5th grade 4-H Club learned about white-tailed deer at the November meeting on Monday.

Mr. Foshee our 4-H leader showed us a video about deer and pointed out some ways on how to hunt and find deer.

BEN DAVIS, REPORTER
Zion Chapel Elementary School
5th Grade 4-H

5th Grade 4-H Girls Meet

In our November 16th meeting Mrs. Hughes gave our project material out. She also gave out our new activity material, and described each one of the activities. Mrs. Hughes showed us some of her Christmas stockings. We played a game you had to make as many words as you can out of the words or letters Happy Thanksgiving.

CRYSTAL WHITT
Zion Chapel Elementary School
5th Grade 4-H Girls

7th Grade Zion Chapel 4-H Girls Meet

This is the second time the girls in the 7th grade at Zion Chapel has met for 4-H.

We elected our officers. They are: President - Falcitly Littlefield, Vice President - Kicia Griffin, Secretary - Niki Pisher, Reporter - Kim Sanders, and Devotional Leader - Tawania Neal.

Mrs. Hughes also gave us our project material.

KIM SANDERS
7th Grade 4-H, Reporter

Elba Middle School 4-H Boys Meet

Thirty-one members of the Elba Middle School 4th grade 4-H Club watched a movie on hunting white-tailed deer at the November meeting on Thursday.

Mr. Foshee our 4-H leader at the Elba Middle School set up the VCR.

We all had to be seated and be quiet in order that we could see and hear.

In this movie we learned some safety rules in hunting.

They are:
***How to carry your gun.
***How to dress.

Then we were dismissed by our president.

STERLING JONES, REPORTER
Elba Middle School
4th Grade 4-H Club

ZION CHAPEL 5TH GRADE BOYS
There are 17 boys in the boys 4-H Club.

Today we took up cookies, tie holders and stockings.

We sang "Oh Suzanna" and "Home on the Range". Mr. Foshee talked about manners.

Here's some rules for a supper, a dinner, or a breakfast.

A. Don't run to the table.
B. Don't forget to say the prayer.
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Rev. And Mrs. Creech Honored At ZC Baptist

Rev. John Creech, new minister at Zion Chapel Baptist Church, and Mrs. Creech were honored on Dec. 13 by the church members on the occasion of their 29th wedding anniversary.

The celebration also served to officially welcome the Creeches to the community as the new pastor of the church. The Creeches are natives of Manchester, Ga.

Card Of Thanks

Too often we neglect to express our feelings toward those who have been so thoughtful to our needs.

We would like, in our humble way, to thank our family, neighbors and many friends who have been there for us when we have needed them most. Your cards, visits and most of all your prayers have sustained us and made it easier in the months we have been shut in.

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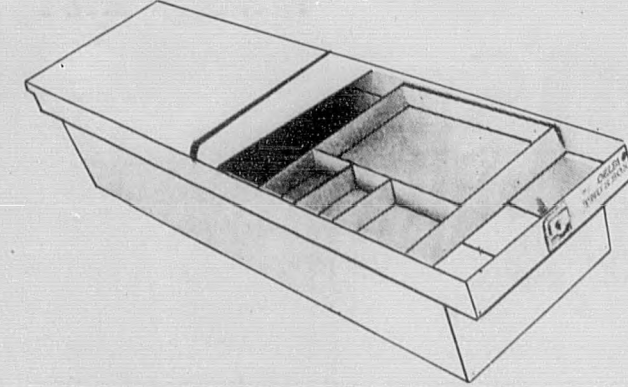
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Jennifer English, Reporter
Elba 4-H 5th Grade Girls



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Anissa Brooks and Amy Ross

Seniors Of The Week

ANISSA BROOKS - Anissa is the 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. prom. She is a member of the Woodland Grove Baptist Church. She plans to attend Enterprise State Junior College and transfer to Troy State to study business. Her hobbies include playing the piano, riding around with friends and cross-stitching.

AMY ROSS - Amy is the 17-year-old daughter of Ronald and Ramona Ross. She is president of the Sr. Beta Club, president of St. Girl Scout Troop 300, vice president of Mu Alpha Theta, reporter of Jr. Music Club, Elbala staff, Alabama Honors Academy - Samford University; and attended the Model Senate at Birmingham-Southern College. Her favorite subject is English and favorite teacher is Mrs. McCollough. Her hobbies are reading, painting, spending time with friends. She plans to attend either Troy State or Samford University to study pharmacy.

Her most memorable time at Elba High School has been her senior year.



Mrs. Rhonda Little

Teacher Of The Week

Mrs. Rhonda Little is our Teacher of the Week for this week. Mrs. Little has been teaching in the Elba School System for two years. She teaches Life Science, Earth Science and Chemistry. She previously taught at Eufaula High School. She graduated from Zion Chapel High School and received her degree from Troy State University.

Mrs. Little enjoys cross-stitching and teaching.

By: KATIE RUSHING

Notes From The Guidance Counselor's Office

***Huntingdon College announces its academic Scholarship Day on Jan. 30. Students will be given a short aptitude test and will be interviewed by the faculty and administrators of the college. Range of awarded scholarships is between \$500 each year for a 4-year period, and a full tuition, room and board package for each year for a period of four years. ***The 1988-89 financial aid applications are in the Guidance Office.

Parents should file their 1987 tax returns as soon as possible after Jan. 1, 1988. The 1987 tax returns will be used on the applications. A one-night financial aid workshop will be conducted at Elba High School to help parents answer any questions about the applications; date to be announced later. Parents are encouraged to apply for financial aid as 60 to 70 percent of students who attend college receive some form of financial aid.

Government Classes Tour Courthouse

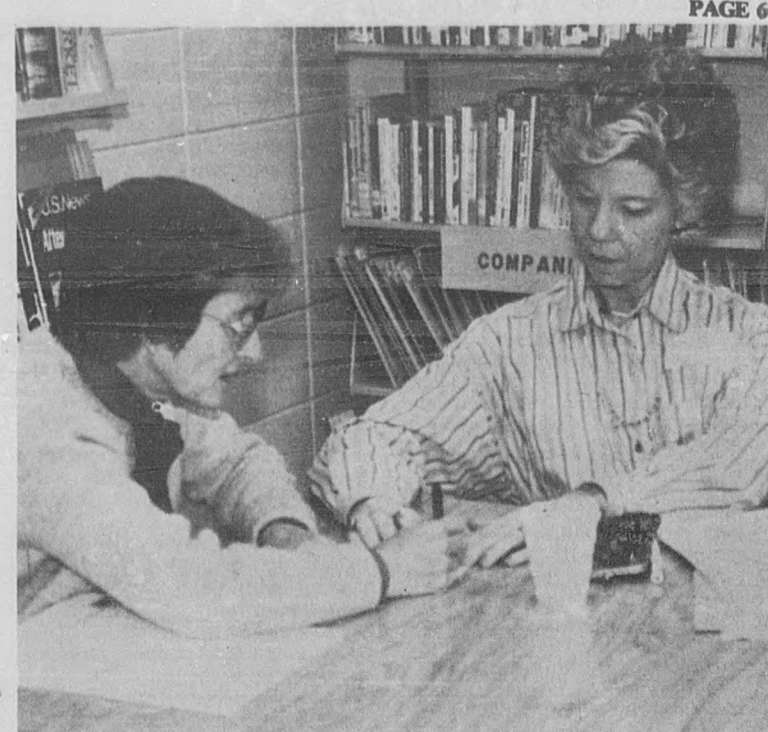
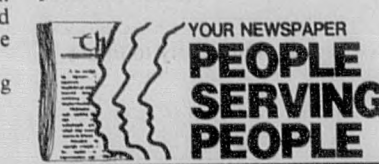
By: MICHELLE FREE
 On Dec. 8 Mr. Mack King took his government classes on a tour of the courthouse. The students got to see the newly-renovated courtroom and

listened as Probate Judge Marion Brunson related some of the history of Elba and the courthouse. Due to limited time, class members did not get to see all of the courthouse, but were pleased with what Judge Brunson shared.



Members of the Elba Chapter Future Farmers of America are displaying the fruit which they have just unloaded. This annual sale of Navel and Hamlin oranges, tangelos, grapefruit and apples is used to raise money for the various activities the FFA participates in throughout the year. The FFA would like to thank all the people who have supported the FFA through the purchase of fruit.

By: CHRISTIAN FLEMING, Editor



Mrs. Frances Prior and Mrs. Sylvia Padgett



L-R: Mack King, Mike Carnley, Donald Lawford and Dr. Roger Crampton

Elba Teachers Attend Workshop At ESJC

By: RICK STELLNER
 A one-day career guidance/education workshop was held Dec. 3-4 at the Career Development Center at Enterprise State Junior College. Conducting the workshop was Dr. Tim Hatfield of the Dept. of Counselor Education at Winona State University at Winona, Minn. Dr. Hatfield received his Ph.D. in

counseling and Student Personnel Psychology from the University of Minnesota, his Ed.M. in counseling from Harvard Graduate School and his BA from Harvard. Attending the workshop from Elba were Sue Adkison, Mike Carnley, Ann Dyess, Judy Killingsworth, Mack King, Donald Lawford, Sylvia Padgett and Frances Prior.



FBLA Makes Christmas Stocking For Project

By: OMA LEE BUNDY

A "Christmas Stocking" party was the main activity of the December Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) meeting. The meeting was called to order by president Tammy Duncan. The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted in favor of using the time for stocking decorating.

Members had three stockings to decorate: one was for a fellow FBLA member. Club membership drew names for Christmas and they decided their gifts would be "specially" decorated stockings. Some of the stockings, filled with candies and Christmas treats, were

given to the faculty and staff. During the business session Mrs. Rachel Bryan, sponsor, displayed the scrapbook, the president's gavel, the American flag, the FBLA pennant, and the framed FBLA Charter that had recently arrived on order. These are all necessary tools for FBLA meetings and activities. Club members agreed on a time to meet to fill the stockings with the "sweet stuff" and to give them out to the people for whom they were made. The meeting was adjourned. FBLA members Angie Rhoden, Angie Campbell, Dana Carnley and Jody Miller are shown making their Christmas stockings.



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Elementary Decorates Christmas Tree

By: LEE KELLEY

Last week the elementary school was given a Christmas tree, donated by Mrs. Betty Reffegge's husband. The tree is about six feet tall and decorated from top to bottom. Mr. Lowery, principal, said he was proud of the tree and all the help he received in decorating it.

Each student in K-6 was encouraged to make an ornament to hang on the tree. Some of the decorations are paper houses,

gingerbread men and little soldier boy ornaments.

The elementary students have the Christmas spirit and are excitedly waiting for the Christmas holidays. Although the school is having fun getting ready for Christmas, it will not be spent here because elementary and high school students get out on Friday, Dec. 18, and come back on Jan. 4. Elementary students wish everyone a Merry Christmas!

ZC Teachers Attend Workshop At ESJC

By: JANE DAVIS

Friday, Dec. 4, Mrs. Rachel Bryan, Mrs. Anita Grant and Mrs. Melinda Hodge participated in a one-day guidance/education workshop made possible by a Women's Educational Act grant. It was held at Enterprise State Junior College. Mrs. Rhonda Brunson, Coach Tom Moates and Coach Tommy Walker attended the workshop on Thursday, Dec. 3.

They were welcomed by Dr. Joseph D. Talmage, president of ESJC, and were then introduced to Dr. Tim Hatfield, chairman of the Dept. of Counselor Education at Winona State University of Minnesota, by ESJC's Dr. Judy Miller.

General theme for the day was "How to promote positive and productive career choices by your students." Dr. Hatfield discussed the implementation concepts - teachers being "in-house" consultants for helping students make career choices - and the goals teachers should have, such as helping kids like themselves. Promoting and strengthening student self-concept goes a long way in helping them make positive career choices.

The general goal of career development - psychological maturity - was also discussed. Dr. Hatfield stated that "It is vital throughout the lifespan of our kids that we as teachers and parents

promote psychological maturity." He also said that the way teachers implement curriculum and the way to promote psychological maturity is to "support and challenge."

"Teachers are on the front line - their job is in the area of prevention," stated Dr. Hatfield. "They see kids every day and know what's going on with them. Teachers have the access and opportunity to infuse career development into the curriculum."

The teachers enjoyed their day at ESJC and are hoping they can take what they learned and use it to help someone make a career choice.

REBEL RAMBLINGS

BASKETBALL

Varsity

By: Chris Moultry

The Rebels fought to win over the Kinston Bulldogs but failed. Jeffrey Flowers scored four points in the first quarter to bring the score to 4 to 9, in favor of Kinston. Keith Moultry and Scottie Lee both hit three-pointers in an attempt to rally the Rebels, but they had a disappointing half-time score of 16 to 20.

The second half of the game started with a three-pointer from Scottie Lee who had scored 21 points by the end of the game. Rebel Toraz Haynes ended the game with his additional three points, leaving the score at 54 to 81, in favor of Kinston.

The Rebels' first win of the season was a victory over the Golden Bears of Coffee Springs.

The first quarter ended with the Rebels leading 21 to 20. As the second quarter began, Jeffrey Flowers went for a layup, scoring two points. Half time ended with the Rebels trailing 34 to 37. Rebel Scottie Lee came back after the half and made a jump shot for two points. Calvin Newson shot a free-throw to end the game with a score of 75 to 71.

Z.C. vs. KINSTON

By: Todd Ruge

The Zion Chapel B-team Rebels won an exciting one-point game over cross-country rivals, the Kinston Bulldogs.

In the first half of play the Rebels had trouble staying with the Bulldogs, as both teams battled under the bucket for a score. The Bulldogs dominated the board in the first half to lead at the half 21-12.

In the second half Z.C. came blasting back with the scoring of Steven Cole and Shannon Morris. With only a few seconds remaining in the game Shannon Morris made a crucial steal and went in for the winning point in an exciting 46-45 win for the Rebels.

THE JR. HIGH REBELS HAVE A 4-2 RECORD

By: Robbie Davis

The Jr. Basketball Team has a record of 4 and 2. They won over Kinston twice, and Arton and Coffee Springs. Defeating the Rebels were the Elba and Straughn Tigers.

The Rebels had a score of 39 to 9 at half time over Coffee Springs. The final score was 49-42, Zion Chapel's favor.

After the victory over Coffee Springs, Zion Chapel went on to shut-out Kinston for the second time with a score of 47-43. Chris Dewberry led the Rebels with 16 points, and Douglas Faulk with 12 points.

After having four wins, the Rebels faced two losses in a row. The Elba Tigers ended the first loss for the Rebels, 76-28. Straughn followed up with a win over Zion Chapel with a final score of 46-43.

B TEAM BASKETBALL

ZION CHAPEL vs. STRAUGHN

By: Todd Ruge

The Zion Chapel B-team Rebels played the Straughn Tigers last Tuesday night and the game ended in a loss for the Rebels who played a great game. In the first half of play both teams were scoring good. The Tigers got their score from the inside as the Rebels relied on outside shooting and three-pointers in the first half.

Both teams played a good defense as well as the half-time score close 20-18 Straughn.

The second half was a reflection of the first as Zion Chapel ripped the nets from the outside hitting three more three-pointers in the second half with Straughn still hitting the boards from under the bucket.

When the final buzzer sounded the score was tied and the game went into overtime. Both teams swapped free-throws in the overtime period and then fought to beat the clock; the Rebels scored but not in time to beat the clock and the Tigers won an exciting 53-54 game.

The Rebels faced a 56-64 loss to the Straughn Tigers. Zion Chapel forward Scottie Lee led the Rebels with 19 points. He made 19 out of the 20 points that Zion Chapel made in the first quarter. Calvin Newson came back in the second half with 17 points in an attempt to bring the Rebels a victory.

Senior Portraits

By: GINA HUCKABAA

Senior portraits made Nov. 4

have found their way back to the seniors at Zion Chapel.

Each male had photos made in a tie and dark sport coat. They also had casual shots taken. The females were a bit more fortunate - they had the choice of green, blue, black, maroon and white feathered drapes.

Females also had casual shots taken.

Now that the seniors have their previews, the hard part begins. Each female must choose a photo made with the individual in a black drape, and the males must choose a formal shot also.

These will be the portraits featured in the yearbook.

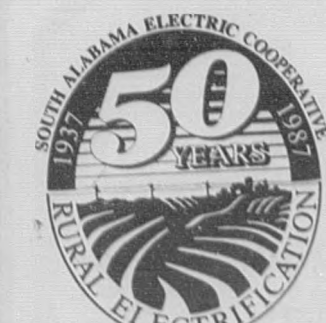
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Then Jesus turned, and saw them following, and said unto them, what seek ye? They said unto him, Rabbi, (which is to say, being interpreted, Master) where dwellest thou? John 1:38.

When therefore he was risen from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this unto them; and they believed the scripture, and the word which Jesus had said, John 2:22.

A soft answer turneth away wrath, but grievous words stir up anger, Prov. 15:1.

The preparation of the heart in man, and the answer of the tongue, is from the Lord, Prov. 16:1.

Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I, send me, Isaiah 6:8.

God grant me the serenity To accept the things I cannot change, Courage to change the things I can, And the wisdom to know the difference.

Selected
Thinking of you, praying for you: The Jones family, the Thigpen family, Lucile Radey, Pearl, Alice Blue, Rodrick Williams, Ardis Williams.

Happy birthday wishes: Anthony Charles Kelley - Dec. 11, Denise Sykes - Dec. 22, and Grover Belcher - Dec. 23.

Tillman Lindsey, Vera Williams, Lucile Radey, Ernestine Kelley and Elba Belcher visited Milton and Betty Belcher and family last Friday in Montgomery.

On the heels of mankind: envy, hatred, malice, arrogance, cruelty, jealousy, suspicion, hypocrisy - envy spoils at others, but his itself.

Proverbs & EPIGRAMS
Advice is what we ask for when we already know the answer but wish we didn't.
Erica Mann Jones

Elder Levanter Belcher, Mary Carolyn, Durrell, Cassandra, Ganti, Ala, and Mrs. Mary Belcher, Andalusia; Mrs. Catherine Waters, Mrs. Lucile Waters, Mrs. Ruthie Culver, Mrs. Doris Waters, Mrs. Ida Hooks, Louise Waters, Earl Flowers, Patricia Carpenter, all of Elba, and Wiley Brooks, Enterprise, attended the pre-Christmas program and dinner at the Rocky Head M.B. Church Sunday night, Dec. 13.

COFFEE COUNTY UNIT ADC - "We the People."
"This 200th anniversary of the Constitution should challenge all of us to be diligent in helping to bring about a more perfect union. Equal justice will only be achieved when we, the people, commit ourselves to it. Likewise, we the people of ADC will continue to work to promote the general welfare of all citizens of Coffee County."

Mrs. Brooks, chairman, lists in her annual message at the awards dinner held at ESIC on June 20, 1987, the major achievements ADC has accomplished for Coffee County. "I am happy to report that Damascus Crittenden, the vice chairman of the Coffee County Democratic Conference, became our first black county commissioner last year.

In addition our local ADC President, Virgil Coleman, has been appointed to the Coffee County School Board. He will serve through 1992.

"However, if you think that is progress, just wait until 1988. At that time we expect to elect a second black member to the Coffee County School Board, thanks to a redistricting lawsuit filed by ADC.

"Yes, in 1988 we expect to see a

black candidate run and get elected to the city council in New Brockton. Moreover, you can look for the Coffee County Democratic Conference to push for more representation on local boards and agencies.

Purpose of ADC:
Main purposes of ADC are to:
1. Conduct regular voter registration and education drives;
2. Maintain strong political units in each county and Congressional district;
3. Get more blacks elected to public office, and also whites who are responsible to the needs of blacks and poor people;
4. Monitor the voting records of elected officials.

5. Screen and endorse candidates;
6. Prepare guide ballots;
7. Secure legislation which will provide more jobs for blacks and poor people;
8. Advocate and advance the cause of the Democratic party.

ADC County Officers
Mrs. Beatrice Brooks, chairman

Mr. Damascus Crittenden Jr. - vice chairman
Mrs. Helen Crittenden - secretary
Mrs. Bonnie Holmes - assistant secretary
Mr. Rubin McKinnon - coordinator
Dr. Virgil Coleman - treasurer

Mrs. Elma Brock - coordinator, Women's Affairs
Mrs. Alma Hornsby - coordinator, Youth Affairs
Mrs. Fortia Youkins - chaplain
Mr. Bernest Brooks - parliamentarian
Mrs. Ida Carlisle - membership chairman
Mrs. Gloria Wheeler - musician
Mrs. Martha Williams - financial secretary

***Do not believe those persons who say they have never been jealous. What they mean is that they have never been in love. Gerald Brennan
***The biggest thing college prepares young people for is the knowledge of what it's like to be broke.
***Have a good day!
ERIA

Pictured are: Joyce Jones, Nadean White, Judy Rowe, JoAnn Elliard, Betty Mary Robinson.

Thursday night, Dec. 10, the Elba Las Donas Club of Elba met in the home of Mrs. Nadean White on Stouffville Street in Mulberry Heights, Elba.

The members were wrapping Christmas fruit baskets to distribute to senior adults, the sick, shut-ins and the handicapped. This was done in the spirit of love and is an annual activity.

The club was organized Jan. 29, 1980, at the home of Mrs. Edwina Williams, Carver Drive, Elba. The first officers were: President - Gladys Yelverton Secretary - Edwina Williams Financial Secretary - Nadean White

Treasurer - Mary Robinson
Judy Rowe and Rosa Magwood were there also and credit has been given Winzell Gray for some success-ful ideas (Ebony Las Donas black women).

The club sponsors the Little Miss Bronze and Miss Ebony Las Donas pageant, donates to the Rescue Squad, Athletic Club, band, and performs volunteer work for Human Resource Dept. of Coffee County. Present officers are:

President - Rosa Magwood
Vice President - Gladys Yelverton Secretary - Judy Rowe
Assistant secretary - Jannie Kelley
Financial secretary - Mary H. Robinson
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PREPARING FOR WINTER QUARTER... Boyd English of Elba looks over the class offerings for the upcoming winter quarter at Enterprise State Junior College. Registration is now in progress and continues through January 4 with classes beginning on January 5. Call 347-2623 for registration information.

Staff Sgt. Donald C. Danford Receives Medal

Air Force Staff Sgt. Donald C. Danford, son of Bobby R. Danford of Rural Route 1, Elba, and Grace A. Horton of 205 S. John St., New Brockton, has been decorated with the Meritorious Service Medal in Rease Air Force Base, Texas.

The Meritorious Service Medal is awarded specifically for outstanding non-combat meritorious achievement or service to the United States. Danford is chief clerk of administration with the 1958th Communications Squadron.

He is a 1982 graduate of New Brockton High School.

Co-op Prepares For Future Needs
While most of us are busily preparing Christmas gift lists, Alabama Electric Cooperative is preparing for the future needs of its consumers.

With the cooperation of the utility systems in Andalusia, Opp, Elba, and Brundage, AEC is surveying consumers from the four municipalities to help the generation and transmission cooperative predict future electrical energy requirements.

A residential consumer survey has been mailed to approximately 500 consumers in each of the four municipalities, according to Jim Brook, AEC marketing director. Consumers are being asked to answer questions about housing, appliances, heating and cooling equipment and energy conservation measures, he explained.

Brook said consumers are urged to complete the survey as soon as possible. He said about 400 completed surveys are needed in order to validate the survey.

Persons receiving a copy of the survey who need assistance should contact their local electric department or the marketing department at AEC, (205) 222-2571.

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Parliamentarian - Vivian Cole
Chaplain - Joyce Jones
Reporter - Lorene Cole

Service Pins Presented... Three employees of the Coffee County Dept. of Human Resources were presented pins recently for length of service. Honored with the pins were (L-R) Dianne Parker - 15 years; Bobbie Hannah - 5 years; and Sue Bryan - 15.

Elba General Hospital Report
Persons admitted to Elba General Hospital during the period of December 8 through 14 include the following:

Bill Young, Elva Grimes, Isabel Bryan, James G. Mills, Judy Harrellson, Kate J. Smith, Michele Carpenter, Ralph Gibson, Lena Berry, Nettie Clark.

Those discharged during the same period of time include: Judy Harrellson, Jesse Messick, Katie J. Smith, Elvin Green, Michelle Carpenter, Nettie Clark, Lucille Perkins, Harold Spinks, Mike McKee, Chuck Coleman, Roy B. Edwards.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA
ELBA DIVISION
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BRANDON M. PYNES, SR., DECEASED

NOTICE OF DAY TO HEAR APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL
TO: Gloria Elaine Pynes, Linda Carol Pynes, whose address is unknown, and all other interested parties:
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on the 7th day of December, 1987, a certain paper in writing and purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Brandon M. Pynes, Sr. was filed in the Probate Court of this County by Brandon M. Pynes, Jr. and thereafter his application for the probate thereof as such Will; and that the 5th day of January, 1988, at 10:00 A.M., at the Probate Hearing Room in the Coffee County Court-house at Elba, was appointed a day and place for hearing said application.

Public Notices
BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA
ELBA DIVISION
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF KATHLEEN SPURIN BOWMAN, Non Compos Mentis
CASE NO. CV 84-48
ORDER FIXING DAY FOR HEARING
On this the 24 day of November, 1987, came Iris McDowell, guardian for Kathleen Spurin Bowman, a Non Compos Mentis, and filed her Petition for Final Settlement of the Guardianship.

It is therefore, ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the 14 day of Jan., 1988, at 9:00 A.M. at the Coffee County Courthouse, Elba, Alabama, be and the same hereby is fixed by the Court as the day and time for the hearing on the said settlement.

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DONE this 8 day of December, 1987.
/s/ TERRY L. BUTTS
Circuit Judge
12-17-87

Public Notices

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA
ELBA DIVISION
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF KATHLEEN SPURIN BOWMAN, Non Compos Mentis
CASE NO. CV 84-48
ORDER FIXING DAY FOR HEARING
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DONE this 24 day of Nov., 1987.
TERRY L. BUTTS
Circuit Judge
12-17-87

ESTATE OF LOS FAYE ENGLISH DECEASED
PROBATE COURT
COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA - ELBA DIVISION
Letters Testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of November, 1987, by the Hon. Marion B. Brunson, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ JIM ELLIS
Circuit Clerk
Coffee County, Ala.
12-17-87

ESTATE OF GLENN LOS CRECH DECEASED
PROBATE COURT
COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA - ELBA DIVISION
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of November, 1987, by the Hon. Marion B. Brunson, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ NINA ENGLISH HERRING
Executor
12-10-87

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GLEN L. CRECH, a person of unsound mind
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, ALABAMA
ELBA DIVISION
CASE NO. CV 83-69
ORDER FIXING DAY FOR HEARING
On this the 8th day of December, 1987, came Gloria Christian, guardian for Glen L. Crech, a person of unsound mind, and filed her Petition for Final Settlement of the Guardianship.

It is therefore, ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the 14 day of Jan., 1988, at 9:30 A.M. at the Coffee County Courthouse, Elba, Alabama, be and the same hereby is fixed by the Court as the day and time for the hearing on the said settlement.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that notice of the day and time fixed by the Court for this settlement be given by posting same at the Courthouse door and at three other public places in said County for more than eighteen (18) consecutive days, or by advertisement once each week for three (3) consecutive weeks in the Elba Clipper, a newspaper published in said County, and also that notice be given to USF&G Insurance Company by citation, as required by law, of the day and time fixed by the Court for hearing on the said final settlement.

DONE this 8 day of December, 1987.
/s/ TERRY L. BUTTS
Circuit Judge
12-17-87

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA
ELBA DIVISION
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BRANDON M. PYNES, SR., DECEASED

NOTICE OF DAY TO HEAR APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL
TO: Gloria Elaine Pynes, Linda Carol Pynes, whose address is unknown, and all other interested parties:
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on the 7th day of December, 1987, a certain paper in writing and purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Brandon M. Pynes, Sr. was filed in the Probate Court of this County by Brandon M. Pynes, Jr. and thereafter his application for the probate thereof as such Will; and that the 5th day of January, 1988, at 10:00 A.M., at the Probate Hearing Room in the Coffee County Court-house at Elba, was appointed a day and place for hearing said application.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA
ELBA DIVISION
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DONE this 24 day of Nov., 1987.
TERRY L. BUTTS
Circuit Judge
12-17-87

CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale
STEEL BUILDINGS. 40x75x12... \$3,144 Sq. Ft.; 50x100x16... \$2,877 Sq. Ft.; 60x100x16... \$2,699 Sq. Ft.; 70x100x14... \$2,500 Sq. Ft.; 100x100x14... \$2,399 Sq. Ft. Allied Steel 1-800-655-6414, 11-12-TATP

For Sale
Champion Motor Home. Gas space heater. 897-5373. 12-3-4tc

Job & Business Opportunity
Guns, Band Instruments, Guitars, Jewelry, VCR, TV, Auto - We buy, sell or make quick cash loans on most anything of value. Also T-shirt printing, silk screen, air brush. Jones Pawn Yellow Front Store Corner Lee & Main Enterprise, AL 347-2348 2-26-tfc

For Rent
FILL DIRT, FILL SAND & TOP SOIL. Delivered in Elba city limits. 8x8-yard load - only \$40. Southland Sand & Gravel, Phone 897-2278. 11-26-tfc

For Sale
FOR SALE: Typewriters: "NEW" Self-correcting, changeable type on console piano. Low payments. WALKER BUSINESS MACHINES 4 Court Square - Andalusia Call toll free 1-800-932-0500 4-25-tfc

For Sale
CATFISH FOR SALE. \$1.00 lb. Dressing at 20c. 1lb. Catfish fingerlings available. For more information call 897-5440. 12-3-tfc

For Sale
Christmas Cards at Half Price - for early shoppers. Prettiest in SE Alabama. Shop our large selection useful gifts for everyone. Free gift wrapping. 30 different Electronic Calculators and prices. New Electronic Typewriters will print from computers. Typewriters priced from \$99.00 up. Word processors start at \$99.00. 11-26-tfc

For Sale
COIN LAUNDRIES/DRY CLEANERS: Locations in your area. Your opportunity to own very profitable business, excellent return on investment. Contact Charles White, The Richard Co. 205-951-2938 or 205-463-5705. 11-26-TATP

For Sale
CHRISTMAS SUNBES. Sunal-Wolf sunbeds. For family or business. SlenderQuest Toning Tables, Super moneymaker. Call for Free color catalogue & Xmas specials. 1-800-228-6292. 11-12-TATP

For Sale
SEWING MACHINES: Due to school budget cuts, the nation's largest manufacturer offers new heavy-duty models, many stitches, buttonholes, everything. 20-year guarantee. Originally \$449, now \$319. Freeform 20 extra. Credit cards, COD. Free delivery. Limited \$ Back Warranty 315-593-0755. 12-10-TATP

For Sale
AUTOS FOR SALE
Jeeps, Cars, 4x4s, seized in drug raids. Buy from \$100. Call for facts Today! (213) 531-1201, Ext. 5729. 12-10-87 12-17-87 1-7-88 1-14-88

For Sale
VIDEO. Liquidation of video disc movies and players. Movies \$7.00 each and RCA Players \$50.00 each. Fifty players and over 3,000 movies. Greenview (Ala.) Cash and Carry, (205) 382-2639. 12-10-TATP

For Sale
ELECTROLUX SALES, SERVICE & PARTS
Now serving Elba and surrounding area. Call Bettye Adkinson, 897-2047. 11-26-tfc

Loans-By-Mail
No collateral required - money on signature alone. Transactions handled entirely by mail. Quick, convenient, confidential service. For confidential FREE information, write: C&K Enterprises 1107 Rucker Blvd., Suite No. 4 Enterprise, AL 36330 11-26-tfc

Carrousel Twin
Opp 493-4222
Fri.-Thur Dec. 18-24
DIRTY DANCING Rated (PG)

Instructions
Train to be a TRAVEL AGENT TOUR GUIDE AIRLINE RESERVATIONIST
Start locally, full time/part time. Train on live airline computers. Home study and resident training. Financial aid available. Job placement assistance. National Headquarters, Lighthouse, FL. A.C.T. TRAVEL SCHOOL 1-800-327-7728 Accepted member, N.T.A.C.

Rogers Furniture & Appliances
231 Bypass N. Troy, AL Ph. 566-1576
SAFE DRY STORAGE
8' x 10' THRU 14' x 48'
Prices Start At \$599.00 With Floor Easy Financing With Low Monthly Interest

Inside Christmas Yard Sale
Fri. & Sat. Dec. 18 & 19
8:00 In The Morning Until 9:00 At Night
10 Lbs. Irish Potatoes - \$1.50
Brass & Glass & Ceramic Lamps Ceramic Touch Lamps Beg. At \$23.00
Toys Reduced For Christmas
Earrings - 2/\$1.00
A Lot Of Reduced Items Will Also Have Those Good Boston Butts For Sale - \$12.00 Ea.
ADAM'S GROCERY
Hwy. 84 Opp. Al.
1-800-227-4702

CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale
OWNER SACRIFICE - Townhouse on beach in Gulf Shores, AL. 1180 sq. ft., 2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, fixtures, kitchen appliances, \$20K. below appraisal. \$75,000 firm. 205/857-1342. 12-17-TATP

For Rent
117 ACRES Timberland. Located near Bluff Springs. 1/2 mile road frontage. Priced to sell. Call 897-6619 after 5 p.m. 12-17-tfc

Miscellaneous Services
REGISTER FOR A ***FREE*** CHRISTMAS DINNER FOR SEVERAL. Consists of enough Turkey, Dressing-Makings, Potatoes for Salad, and items to make a dessert that should feed up to 20 people. Come by and register for the drawing to be held on the 24th of Dec. Do not have to be present to win but we will draw out a name and telephone number until we find someone at home to claim the dinner. Surplus-N-Such, 500 Davis St., Elba, next to Dill-Delley. Open Tues & Wed 10-4; Fri & Sat 10-5. 11-26-tfc

For Sale
LAND FOR SALE: 160 acres. Approximately 3 miles from downtown Elba. Owner financing available. 897-6128. 12-3-tfc

For Sale
88.5 acres in the city, fronts on Bypass, Taylor Mill Rd., and Highland Dr. Marketable timber. BOLLARD REAL ESTATE 347-4517 or 347-7516 9-3-tfc

For Sale
2 Houses: 1-4-BR, 1-3-BR on 4.5 acres on Hwy. 87. 4-BR ready for immediate occupancy. Priced in mid '40's. BOLLARD REAL ESTATE 347-4517 or 347-7516 9-3-tfc

For Sale
FARM LAND - In Goodman Community. 347-7431 after 5:30 p.m. weekdays. 12-10-tfc

For Sale
8A more or less. Fronting on 189 North. Community water. Just inside city limits. BOLLARD REAL ESTATE 347-4517 or 347-7516 4-9-tfc

For Sale
3 businesses in Elba. Two restaurants and another business. Serious inquiries only. Call for details. BOLLARD REAL ESTATE 347-4517 or 347-7516 7-23-tfc

For Sale
SALE OR RENT
3-BR, 1 1/2-B, on half-acre of land. Off 189, fronts on Hwy. 19 in Basin Community. Priced in low '40's, rent \$275. Available Sept. 1. BOLLARD REAL ESTATE 347-4517 or 347-7516 8-20-tfc

For Sale
FOR SALE
85 to 90 acres of Bahia grass pasture. Fenced and cross-fenced. Two ponds, fronts on paved road. Rural water system. 5 miles west of Elba. A fast-growing neighborhood. TAYLOR REALTY 897-2336 10-22-tfc

College Cinema
Cinema 1 DEC. 18-24
Fatal Attraction
M-F 7&9:15 S&S 2-7-9:15

College Cinema
Cinema 11 DEC. 18-24
Planes, Trains and Automobiles
M-F 7:05-9:05 S&S 2:05-7:05-9:05

College Cinema
Cinema 111 DEC. 18-24
Eddie Murphy
RAW
M-F 7:00-9:00 S&S 2:10-7:10-9:10

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Martha White
Self-Rising or Buttermilk
Corn Meal Mix

5-lb. bag
99¢



Plain or Self-Rising
Martha White Flour

5-lb. bag
79¢

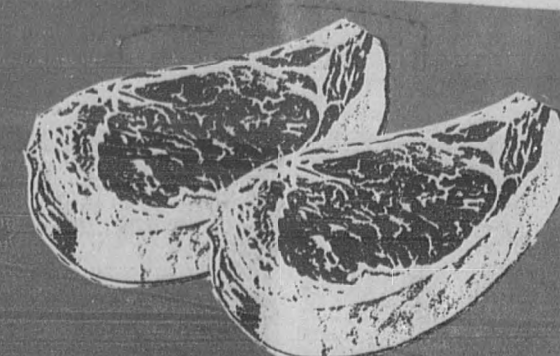


Peas, Beans or Gold Corn
Stokely's Vegetables

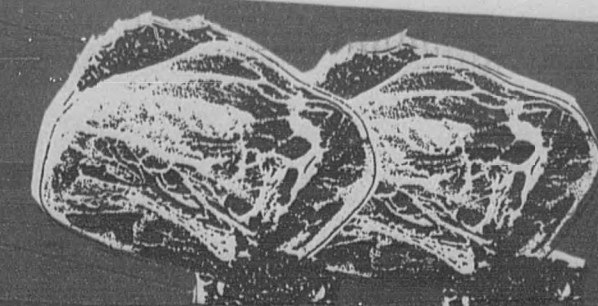
14-oz. cans
3 FOR \$1



Wilson Corn King
Boneless Whole Ham
\$1.89
per lb.
Half Hams per lb. \$1.99



U.S.D.A. Choice Whole
Boneless Ribeyes
\$3.99
per lb.



U.S.D.A. Inspected
Whole Pork
Boston Butts
\$1.29
per lb.

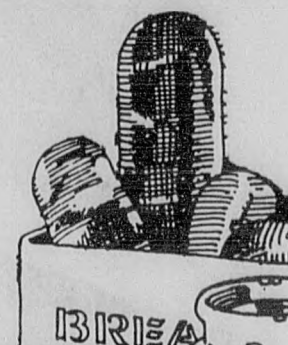


Reg. or Mountain Spring
Dish Detergent
Dawn Liquid
22-oz. btl.

99¢



We've Got Everything You Need For Christmas Dinner!



Light or Dark Brown,
Brownulated or
10x Powdered
Domino Sugar
14 to 16-oz. size

49¢

Assorted
Scott Towels
jumbo roll

69¢

Hy-Top
Small Early
June Peas



17-oz.
2 FOR \$1

Evaporated
Pet Milk

12-oz.
45¢

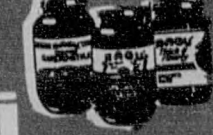
Martha White (Pre Priced 99¢)
Cake Flour

2-lb.
99¢

20¢ Off Label
Crisco Oil

32-oz.
\$1.49

Ragu
Assorted
Spaghetti Sauce



32-oz.
\$1.69

Reg. ADC or
Elec. Perk
Maxwell House Coffee
1-lb. vac. bag

\$2.09

Hy-Top
Strained
Cranberry Sauce
16-oz. can

49¢

Sliced, Crushed, Chunk
in Natural Juice
Dole Pineapple
20-oz. can

79¢

75¢ Off Label
Powdered
Gain Detergent
42-oz. box

\$1.59



Super Tru
U.S.D.A. Grade "A"
5 to 7-lb. Avg.
Turkey Breast
per lb.

99¢



Lykes
Family Favorite
Smoked or Beef Sausage
per lb.

\$2.19

Reg., Hot or
Special Recipe
Jimmy Dean Sausage
lb. pkg.

\$1.99

Meat or Beef
Oscar Mayer
Bologna 8-oz. pkg.

\$1.19

Rudy's Farm
Hot or Mild
Sausage Patties 12-oz. pkg.

\$1.69

Split or Whole
Claussen Pickles 32-oz. jar

\$1.99

U.S.D.A. Grade "A"
Frozen
Baking Hens per lb.

69¢

Cook's Old Fashion
Cry-O-Vac
Ham Slices per lb.

\$2.98

U.S.D.A. Grade "A"
Ducks per lb.

\$1.19

Bryan
Cooked
Ham 10-oz. pkg.

\$2.39

Southern Cookin'
Smoked, BBQ or Cajun
Lykes Chicken per lb.

\$1.39

Lykes
Family Favorite
Ham Halves per lb.

\$2.69

Lykes
Meat or Beef
Jumbo Franks lb. pkg.

\$1.79

Lykes
Hot Dogs 12-oz. pkg.

\$1.09

Bryan
Smoky Hollow
Cocktail Smokies lb. pkg.

\$2.69

We Stock A Complete Line Of Holiday Fixings Including Your Choice Of Turkeys, Ducks, Fresh Oysters, Fresh Hens, And Fresh Hams.

Meat, Beef or Thick
Lykes Bologna lb. pkg.

\$1.79

Bryan
Canned Ham 3-lb. can

\$8.99

Bryan
Sliced Bacon 12-oz.

\$1.59

Bryan
Cracker Bologna lb. pkg.

\$1.99

Red or Black Rind
Hoop Cheese per lb.

\$1.99

Zeigler's
Reg. or Extra-Hot
Red Hots 24-oz. bag

\$2.59



E-Z Por Foil Oval
Roasting Pan
each

99¢



Reg. or Kids Toothpaste
Aqua Fresh
4.6-oz. tube

\$1.39



E-Z Por Foil
Stuffing Pan
each

59¢



"AA"
Duracell Batteries
2-ct. pkg.

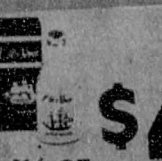
\$1.59

We're Your Christmas Headquarters For All Your Family Needs!



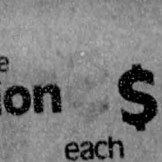
Original Foil-Packed
Alka-Seltzer
36-ct. pkg.

\$2.59



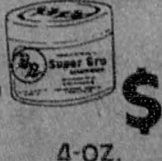
Old Spice Regular
After Shave
4 1/4-oz.

\$4.69



G.E. 9-Ft. Brown or White
Extension Cords
each

\$1.99



BB All Types
Super Gro
4-oz.

\$4.29



Listerine Mouthwash
32-oz.

\$4.59



Twin Pak Disposable
Bic Lighters
2-ct. pkg.

99¢



60, 75 or 100-Watt
G.E. Soft White Bulbs
4-ct. pkg.

\$1.99



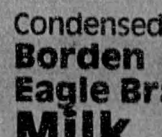
Pre Priced 89¢
Kleenex White
Dinner Napkins
50-ct. pkg.

79¢



Scott Assorted
Bath Tissue
4-roll pkg.

\$1.69



Condensed
Borden Eagle Brand Milk
14-oz.

\$1.19



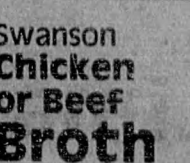
Baker's
Angel Flake Coconut
14-oz.

\$1.19



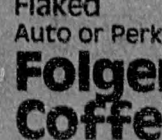
75-sq. ft. economy roll
Reynold's Wrap
12"x75'-roll

\$1.69



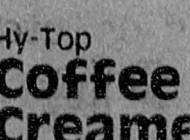
Swanson
Chicken or Beef Broth
14 1/2-oz.

52¢



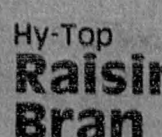
Flaked Auto or Perk
Folger's Coffee
11 1/2-oz. vac. bag

\$1.89



Hy-Top
Coffee Creamer
11-oz.

89¢




Hy-Top
Raisin Bran
20-oz.

\$1.75



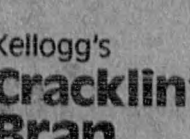
Reg. Auto. Dish Detergent
Lemon Cascade
50-oz.

\$2.29



Glad
Trash Bags
10-ct.

\$1.29



Kellogg's
Cracklin' Bran
14-oz.

\$2.39



Assorted
Northern Napkins
140-ct. pkg.

69¢



8-inch Reg. or Divided
Sturdyware Plates
50-ct. pkg.

\$1.49



Hy-Top 9-Inch
Pie Shells
2-ct. pkg.

59¢



Birds Eye
Whipped Topping
Cool Whip
8-oz. ctn.

79¢



Quarters
Blue Bonnet Margarine
1-lb. pkg.

39¢



Philadelphia Cream Cheese
8-oz. pkg.

79¢



Kraft
Philadelphia Plain or Lite
Cream Cheese
8-oz. pkg.

79¢




Birds Eye Family-Pak
Corn on the Cob
12-ear pkg.

\$1.89




Pepperidge Farm Assorted
Layer Cakes
17-oz. pkg.

\$1.89




Taste O' Sea
Perch Fillets
16-oz.

\$2.69



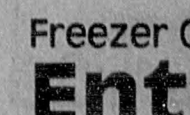
Hy-Top All Green
Baby Limas
16-oz.

99¢




Mrs. Smith's Reg. or Dutch
Apple Pie
46-oz.

\$3.39



Freezer Queen Assorted
Entrees
9 1/2 to 10-oz.

99¢



Hy-Top
Broccoli Spears
10-oz.

69¢



Our Value
Sweet Peas
17-oz. cans

2 For 79¢



Our Value
Tea Bags
100-ct. box

\$1.19




Hy-Top
Salad Pickles
16-oz. jar

\$1.29



Our Value
Napkins
300-ct. pkg.

\$1.49



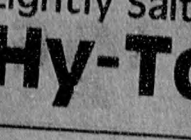
Sealtest
Orange Juice
gallon

\$2.49



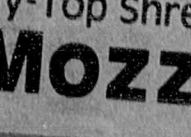
Kraft Sharp or X-Sharp Cheese
Cracker Barrel
10-oz.

\$2.19



Lightly Salted Quarters
Hy-Top Butter
1-lb.

\$1.89



Hy-Top Shredded
Mozzarella
8-oz.

\$1.59



Blue Bonnet
Spread Margarine
3-lb.

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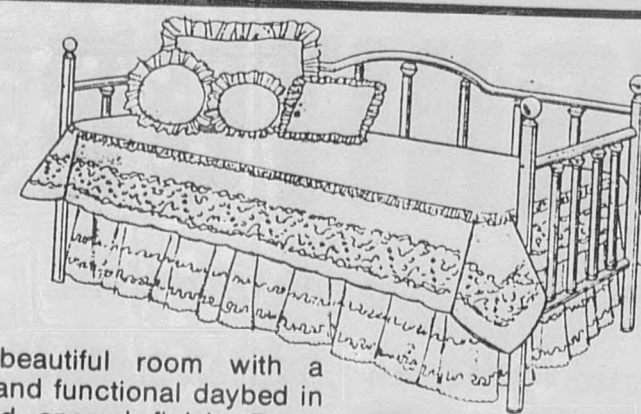
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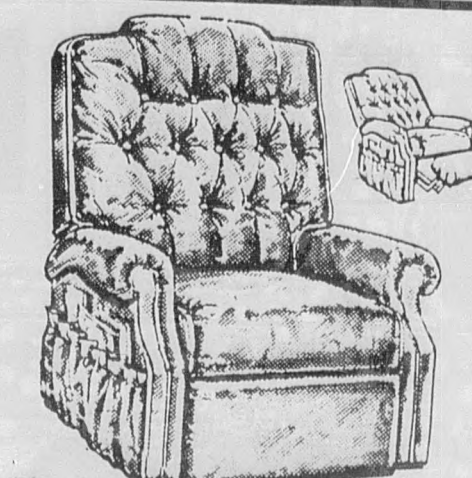
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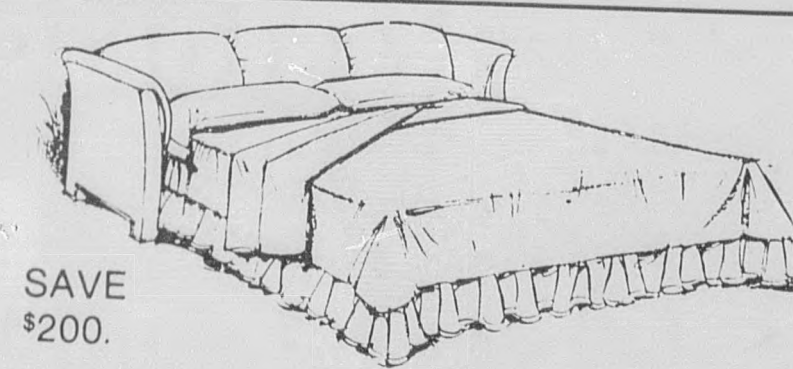
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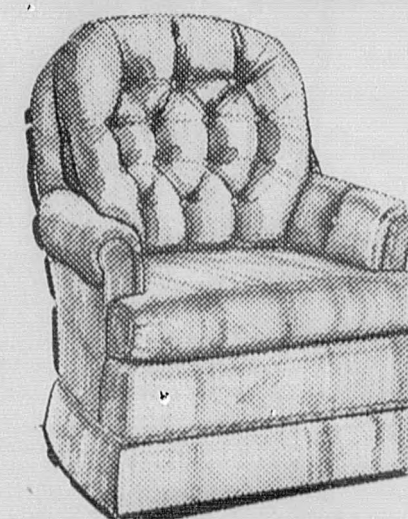


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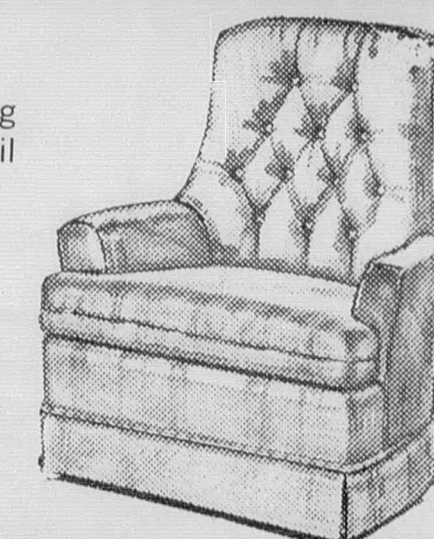


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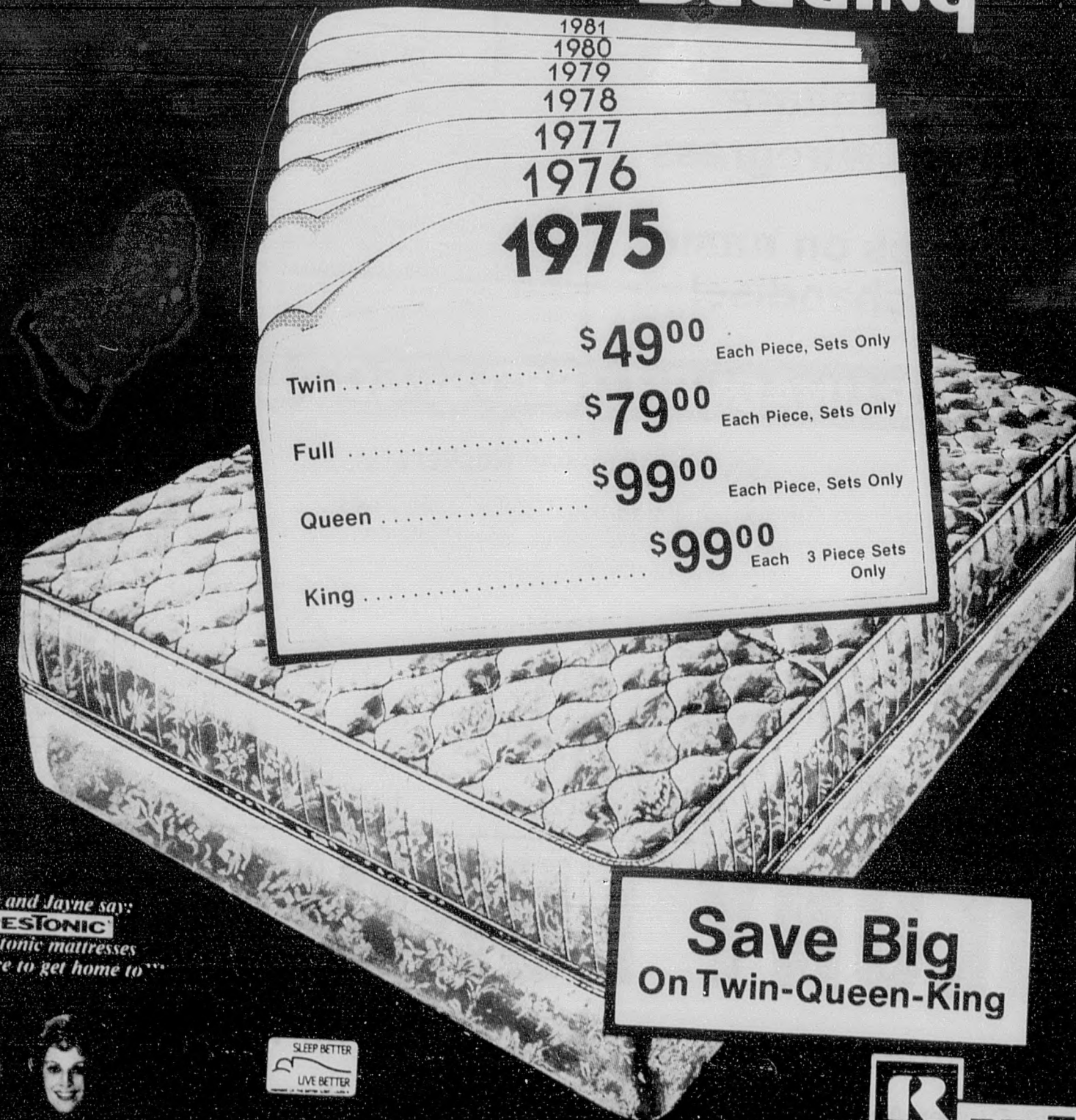
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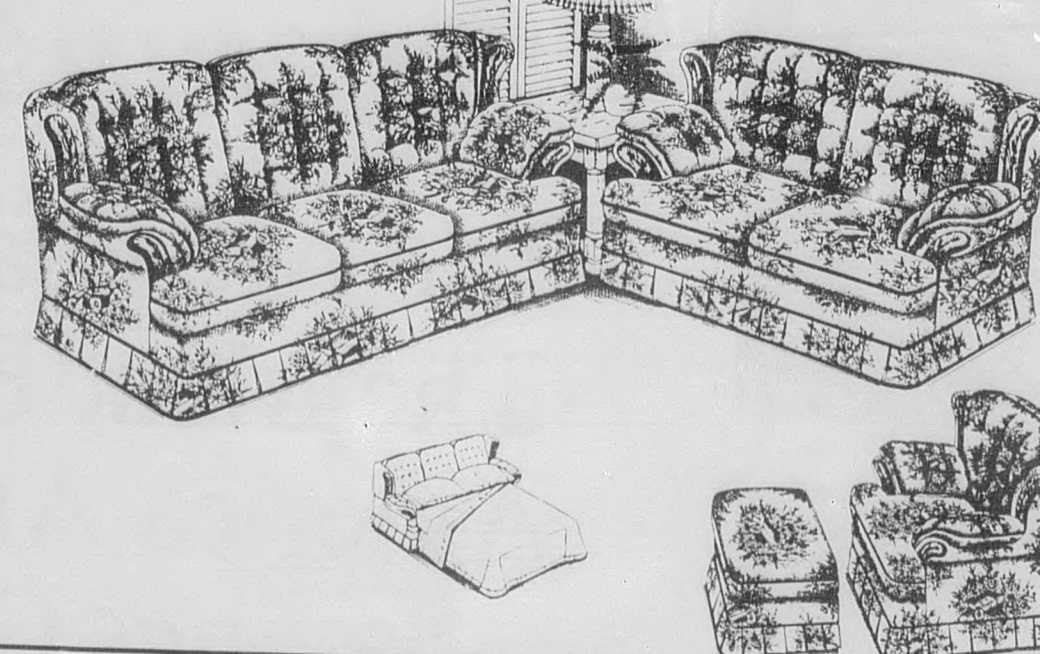
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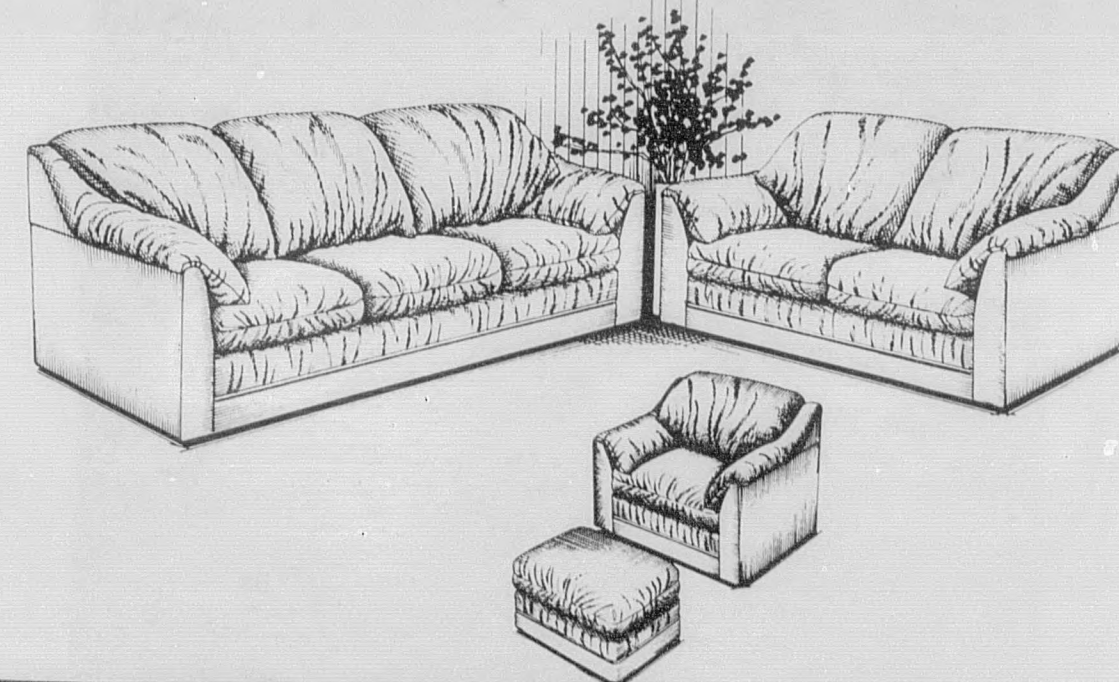
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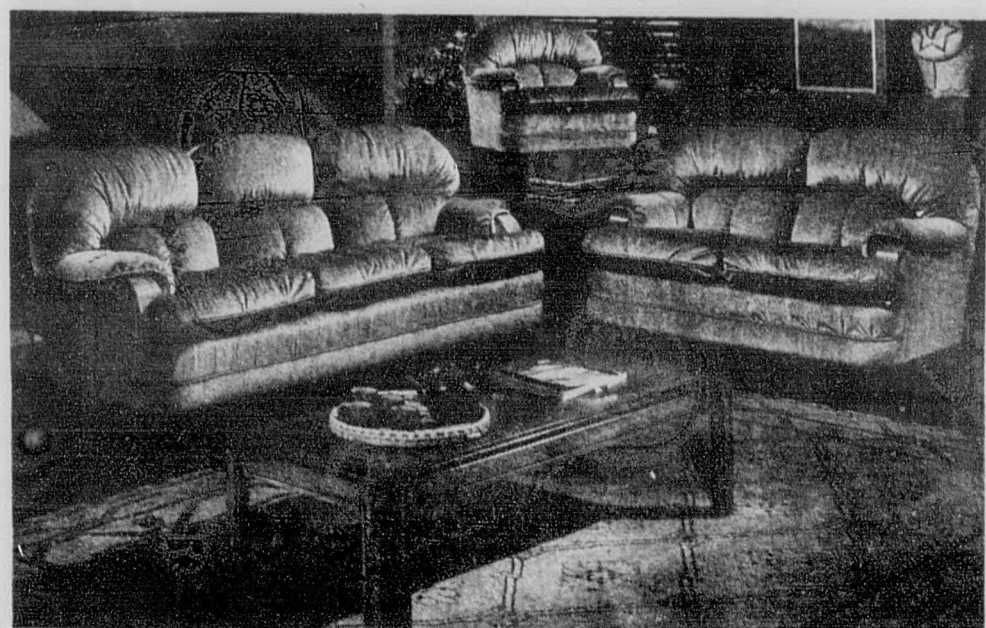
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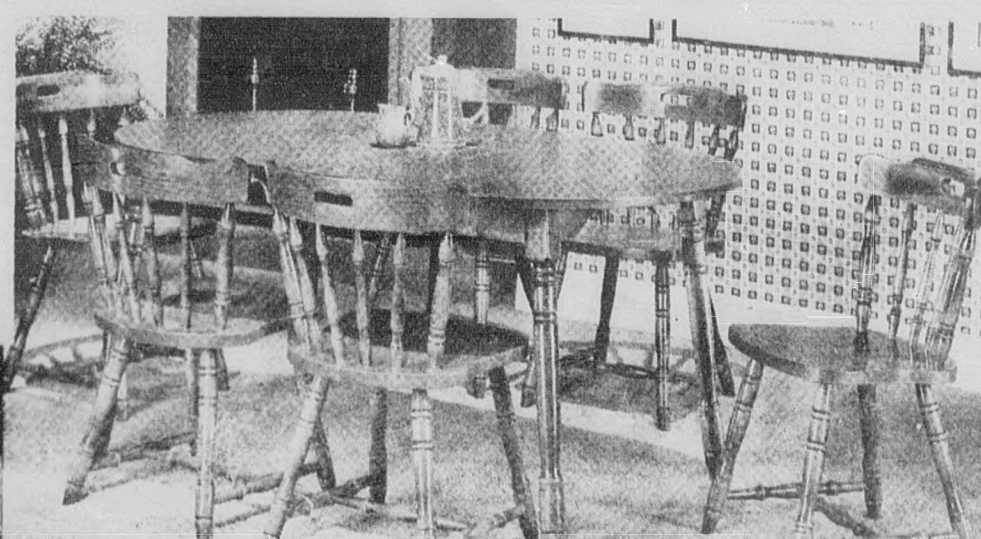


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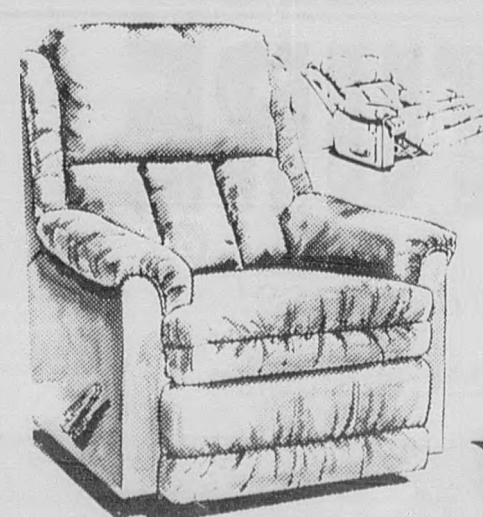
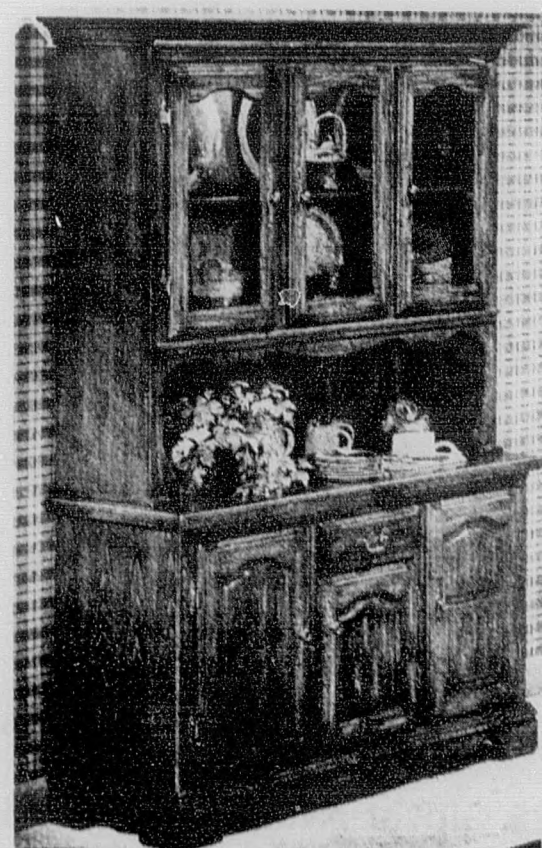
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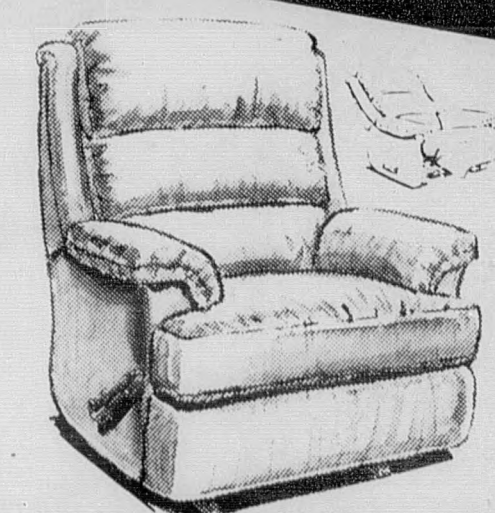
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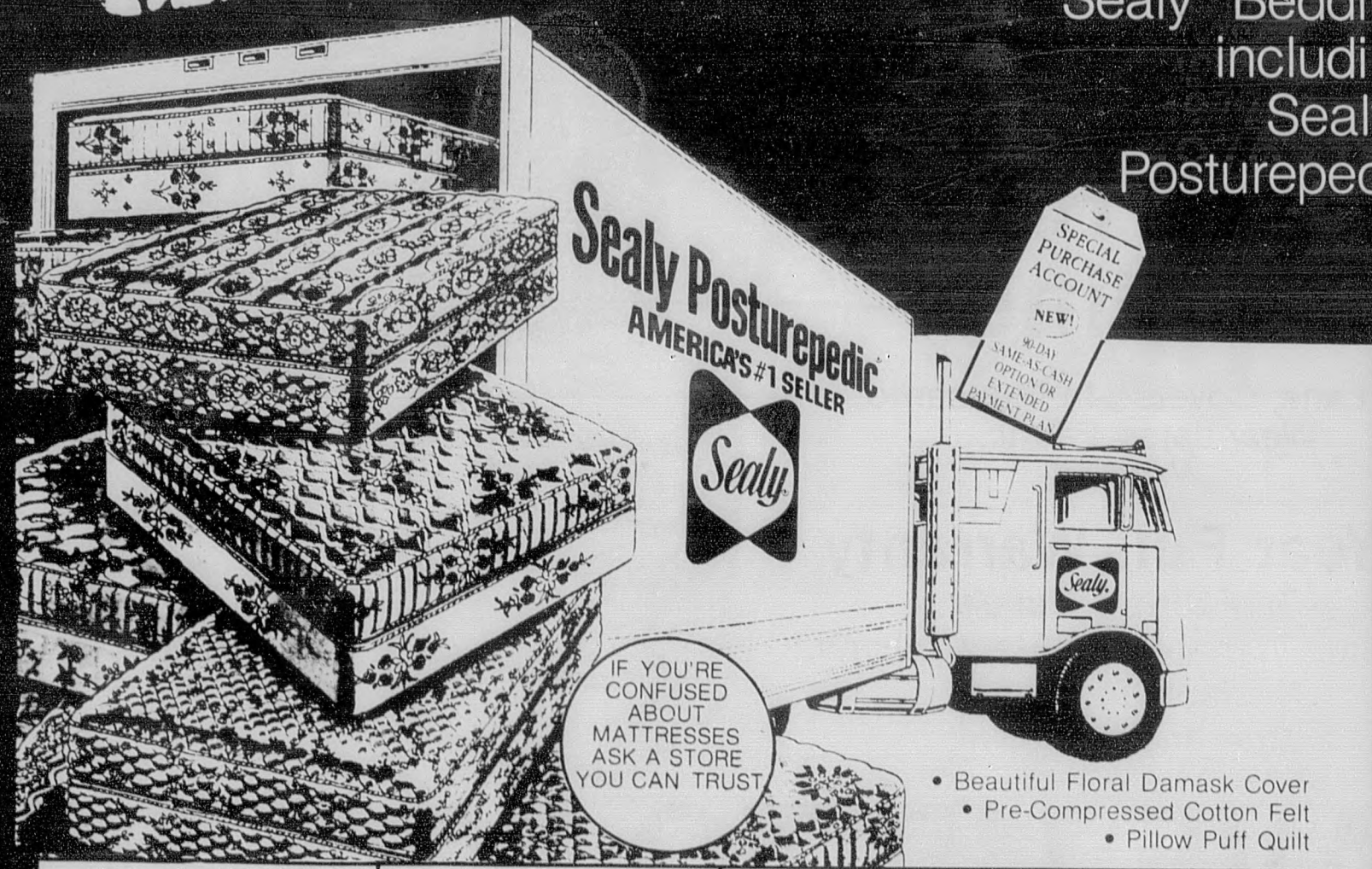
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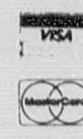
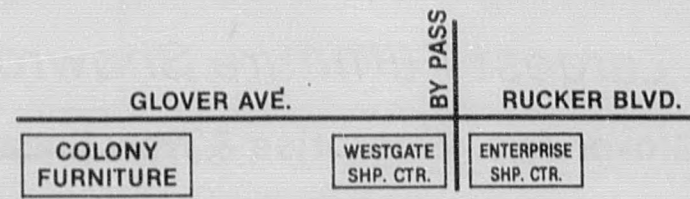
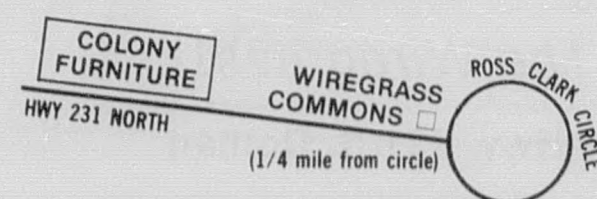
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